

THE CLAIMS

The claims are as follows:

1. (Previously Presented) An isolated protein having SEQ ID NO: 1 that is glycosylated.
- 2 - 33. (Cancelled)
34. (Previously Presented) An isolated variant of SEQ ID NO: 1, wherein the variant results from the substitution of an arginine with a glutamine at amino acid 525.
35. (Previously Presented) An isolated variant of SEQ ID NO: 1, wherein the variant results from the substitution of a glycine with an aspartic acid at amino acid 709.
36. (Previously Presented) An isolated variant of SEQ ID NO: 1, wherein the variant results from the substitution of a serine with an asparagine at amino acid 827.